




Dated: April 14, 2017

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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT  
FOR THE EASTERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

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VEECO INSTRUMENTS INC.,	)	
	)	
Plaintiff,	)	
	)	
v.	)	Civil Action No. CV 17-2217
	)	
SGL CARBON, LLC, and	)	<b><u>AFFIDAVIT OF MATTHEW J. RIZZOLO</u></b>
SGL GROUP SE	)	<b><u>IN SUPPORT OF MOTION TO ADMIT</u></b>
Defendants.	)	<b><u>COUNSEL PRO HAC VICE</u></b>
_____	)	

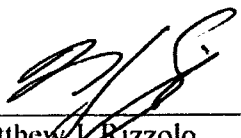
State of Washington D.C.  
County of \_\_\_\_\_

Matthew J. Rizzolo, being duly sworn, hereby deposes and says as follows:

1. I am an attorney with the law firm of Ropes & Gray LLP.
2. I submit this affidavit in support of my motion for admission to practice *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter.
3. As shown in the Certificate of Good Standing attached hereto, I am a member in good standing of the Bar of the State of New York and the Bar of the District of Columbia.
4. There are no pending disciplinary proceedings against me in any State or Federal court.
5. I have not been convicted of a felony.
6. I have not been censured, suspended, disbarred or denied admission or readmission by any court.
7. Wherefore your affiant respectfully submits that he be permitted to appear as counsel and advocate *pro hac vice* in this one case for Plaintiff, Veeco Instruments Inc.

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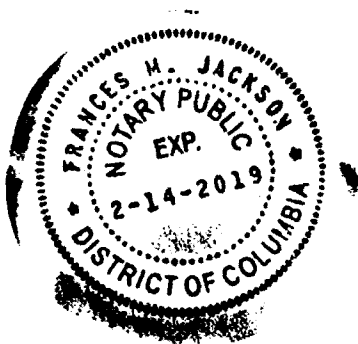
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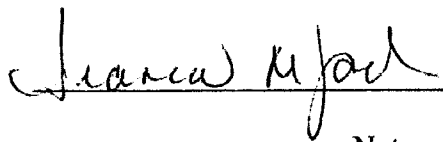
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On this 14<sup>th</sup> day of April, 2017, before me, personally appeared Matthew J. Rizzolo, personally known to me or proved to me on the basis of satisfactory evidence to be the individual whose name is subscribed to the within instrument and acknowledged to me that he executed the same for the purposes therein contained.

IN WITNESS WHEREOF, I hereunto set my hand and official seal.



FRANCES M. JACKSON  
NOTARY PUBLIC DISTRICT OF COLUMBIA  
My Commission Expires February 14, 2019

  
Notary Public





*State of New York*  
*Supreme Court, Appellate Division*  
*Third Judicial Department*

*I, Robert D. Mayberger, Clerk of the Appellate Division of the Supreme Court of the State of New York, Third Judicial Department, do hereby certify that*

*Matthew Joseph Rizzolo*

*having taken and subscribed the Constitutional Oath of Office as prescribed by law, was duly licensed and admitted to practice by this Court as an Attorney and Counselor at Law in all courts of the State of New York on the 22nd day of January, 2009, is currently in good standing and is registered with the Administrative Office of the Courts as required by section four hundred sixty-eight-a of the Judiciary Law.*

*In Witness Whereof, I have hereunto set my hand and affixed the Seal of said Court, at the City of Albany, this 7th day of April, 2017.*



*Robert D Mayberger*

*Clerk*



**District of Columbia Court of Appeals**  
**Committee on Admissions**  
**430 F Street, N.W. — Room 123**  
**Washington, D. C. 20001**  
**202 / 879-2710**

*I, JULIO A. CASTILLO, Clerk of the District of Columbia Court of Appeals, do hereby certify that*

**MATTHEW J. RIZZOLO**

*was on **DECEMBER 7, 2009** duly qualified and admitted as an attorney and counselor entitled to practice before this Court and is, on the date indicated below, an active member in good standing of this Bar.*

*In Testimony Whereof, I have hereunto subscribed my name and affixed the seal of this Court at the City of Washington, D.C., on **APRIL 10, 2017**.*

**JULIO A. CASTILLO**  
*Clerk of the Court*

By: \_\_\_\_\_

*Monette Lane*  
**Deputy Clerk**

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SGL GROUP SE	)	<b><u>MOTION TO ADMIT COUNSEL</u></b>
Defendants.	)	<b><u>PRO HAC VICE</u></b>
	)	

The motion for admission to practice *pro hac vice* in the above-captioned matter is GRANTED. The admitted attorney, Matthew J. Rizzolo, is permitted to argue or try this particular case in whole or in part as counsel or advocate.

An attorney admitted to practice *pro hac vice* is required to pay a \$150.00 attorney admission fee and present this Order to the intake deputy clerk in the Clerk's office. When paying by mail, return a copy of this Order to the Clerk's Office with the required fee.

This Order confirms your appearance as counsel in this case. A notation of your admission *pro hac vice* for the above-listed case will be made on the roll of attorneys.

So **ORDERED** and **SIGNED** this \_\_\_\_ day of \_\_\_\_\_, 2017.

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United States District Court Judge/Magistrate Judge